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In re Application of

April 24, 2007

SPENCER B. DICK

KH File – PAI 308B

Serial No. : 10/642,350

Art Unit 3724

Filed : August 15, 2003

Examiner Charles Goodman

For : CARRIAGE AND RAIL ASSEMBLY FOR A LINEAR  
POSITIONING SYSTEM

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**PETITION TO WITHDRAW NOTICE OF  
ABANDONMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.181**

Applicant submits this Petition to Withdraw Notice of Abandonment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.181 for reinstatement of the application.

On March 27, 2006, applicant received an Office action dated March 24, 2006 regarding the above-identified application. On September 25, 2006, applicant filed a response to the office action along with three-month extension of time (copies attached as Exhibit A). The amendment is timely filed because September 24, 2006 (the six-month date) was on a Sunday, and the amendment was filed the next business day. A copy of the postcard with the Patent Office stamp is attached as Exhibit B. Applicant received a Notice of Abandonment dated October 10, 2006 stating that no reply had been received. A copy of the Notice is attached as Exhibit C.

Accordingly, applicant hereby requests reinstatement of the above-identified application and acceptance of the enclosed amendment and request for extension of time. Enclosed is our check in the amount of \$130.00 covering the petition fee as

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Please contact applicant's undersigned attorney if anything further is required.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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